IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Kazumasa Omote et al.)

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Examiner: Johnson, Carlton)

AMENDMENT B

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 11, 2008, please amend the above-identified Application as follows: